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**Subject:** Microsoft Settlement

Dear Sirs:

In my opinion the current basically agreed settlement is already more harsh than Microsoft deserves. As a long term Microsoft customer I think that the computer industry would have been in a poor shape without their standardizing and market domination effort. All the main Microsoft competitors that lobbied for this lawsuit had or have in their marketing strategy as the main goal to dominate the market. All have failed because of poor products, greed and poor marketing. Only Microsoft has delivered a good product for a rather low price and that's the main reason of their success.

I like to request you to get this bad (for the development of the IT market) and painful (the enormous amounts for this legal case and the waste of time of all involved) situation resolved and to accept Microsoft's settlement.

Sincerely,  
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